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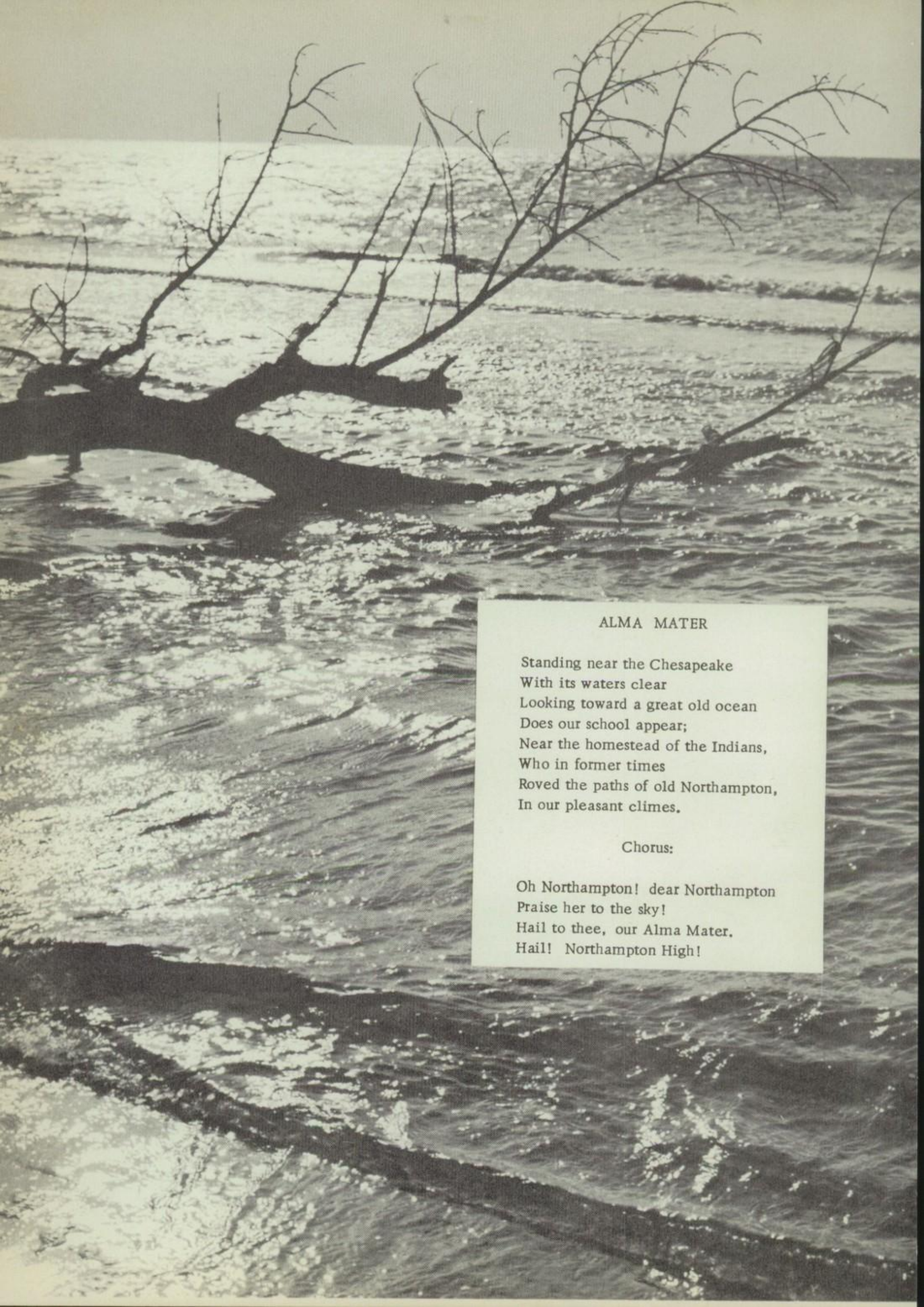
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SENIOR CLASS
OF

Northampton High School

To Our Faculty

With deepest appreciation for your guidance, for your ever-willing assistance, and for your interest in all the students, we, the class of 1952, affectionately dedicate this edition of "The Torch" to you.



ALMA MATER

Standing near the Chesapeake
With its waters clear
Looking toward a great old ocean
Does our school appear;
Near the homestead of the Indians,
Who in former times
Roved the paths of old Northampton,
In our pleasant climes.

Chorus:

Oh Northampton! dear Northampton
Praise her to the sky!
Hail to thee, our Alma Mater.
Hail! Northampton High!

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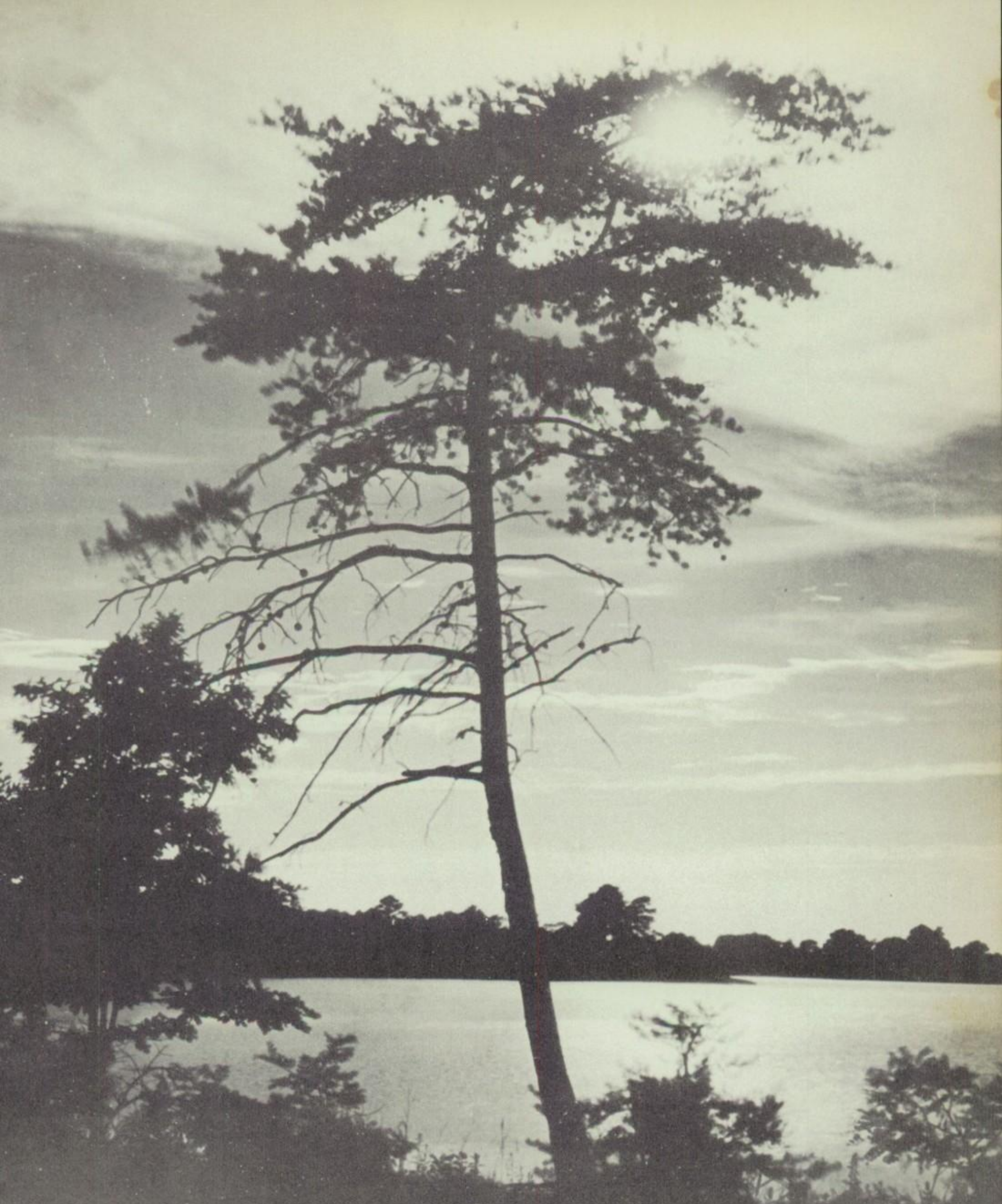
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Senior



JOHN C. ADDISON
"All are not saints who
go to church."



LOU ANN ASHBY
"A quiet tongue makes a
wise head."



RUBY LEE ANNIS
"Be content to seem what
you really are."



LILLIAN FRANCES BAILEY
"She is the sweetest of all
singers."



CHARLES W. ASHBY
"Great bashfulness is of-
tener the effect of pride
than of modesty."



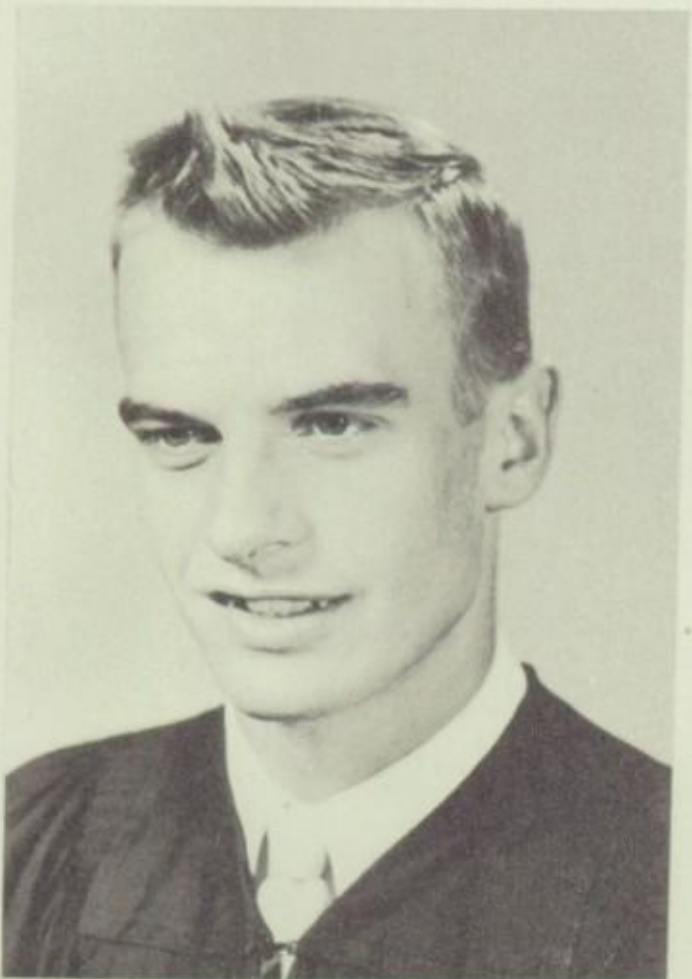
MARY ELLEN BARNES
"She speaketh not; and
yet there lies conversa-
tion in her eyes."



JOYCE M. BOWEN
"To love the game beyond
the prize. "



WARREN N. COBB, JR.
"Though we cannot out-
vote them, we'll outargue
them. "



ARCHIE L. BRADFORD
"A diller, a dollar, a ten
o'clock scholar. "



PEGGY J. COLONNA
"All nature is but art. "



OTHO J. BRADY, JR.
"Much could be said of
him if one could read his
mind. "



MARY J. COWLING
"All too often the clever
girl who knows the answer
is never asked. "



ALICE S. CROFT
"Marriage is destiny,
made in heaven."



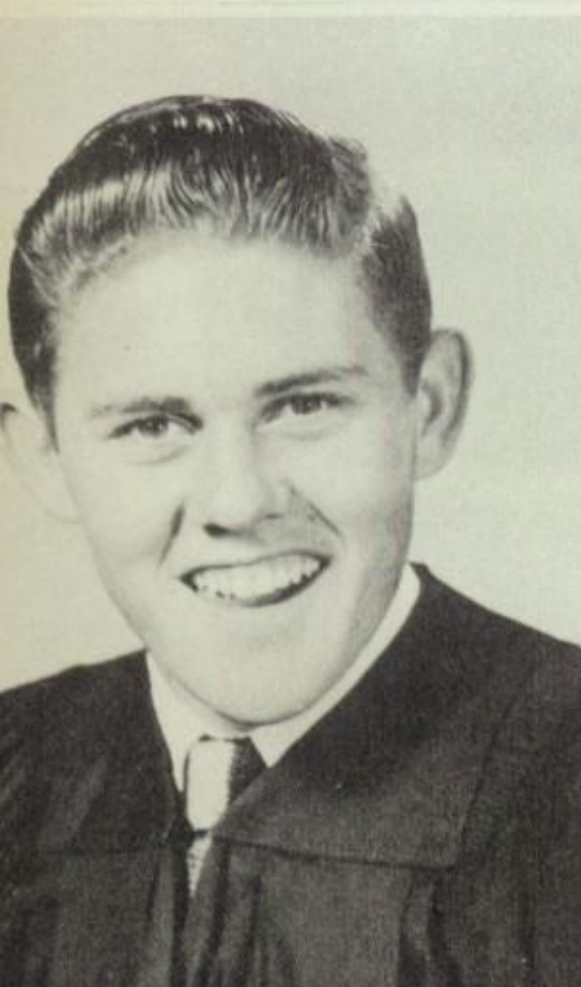
EMILY JANE DOUGLAS
"She ran her fingers over
the ivory keys."



ESTER DeWALD
"There is sweet music
here."



JOE S. DOWNES
"Humor is gravity con-
cealed behind the jest."



KENNETH E. DOUGHTY
"Such strength as a man
has he should use."



JAMES C. DUNTON, JR.
"Like a dog, he hunts in
dreams."



GERALDINE EAST
"Art is not a thing! It
is a way!"



N. PAIGE FITCHETT
"Laugh and the world
laughs with you."



S. PETER EAST
"Young fellows will be
young fellows."



BARBARA C. GIBBS
"Mind cannot follow it,
nor words express her
infinite sweetness."



HENRIETTA N. ELLIOTT
"Speech is great, but
silence is greater."



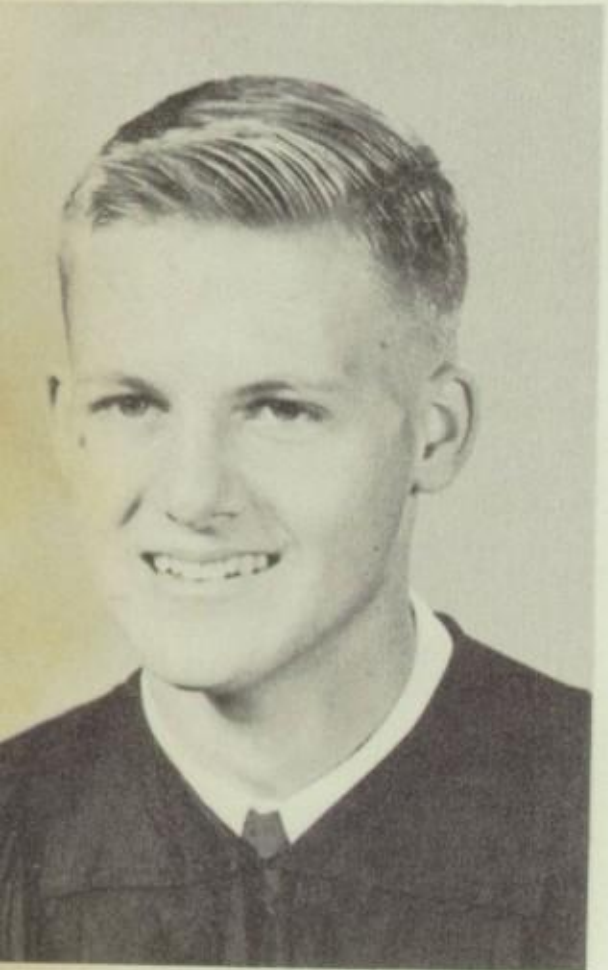
VIRGINIA LEE GLADDEN
"Nowhere a busier one
than she."



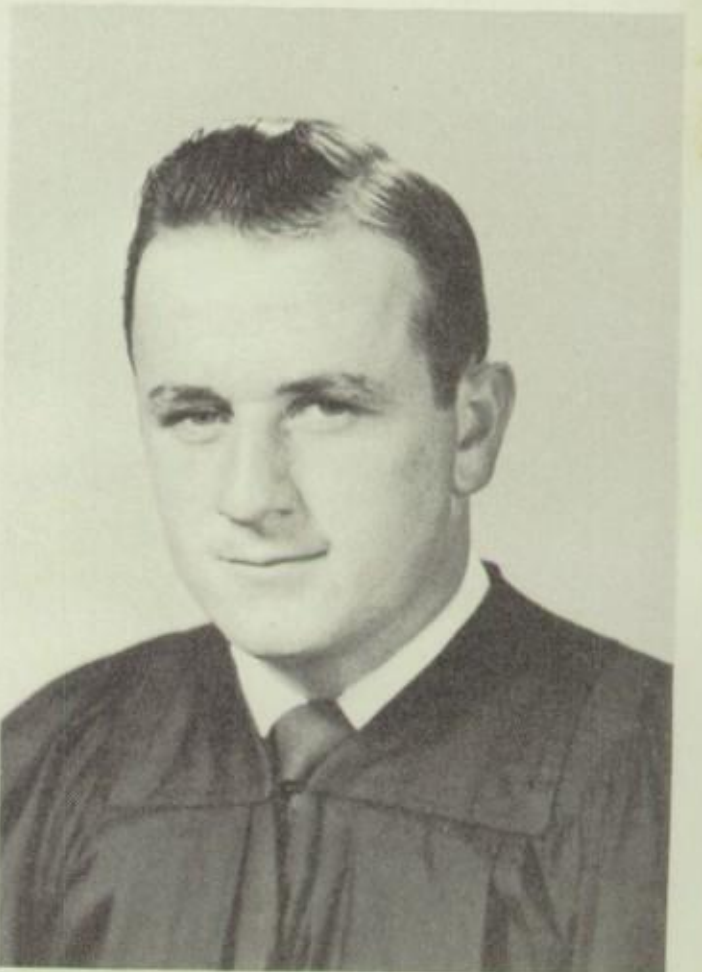
JEANNINE M. GOODE
 "The only way to get rid
 of a temptation is to
 yield to it."



MARY LU JAMES
 "Music has charms, we
 all may find."



CLARENCE W. HOLLAND
 "My business in the so-
 cial system is to be
 agreeable."



ELLISON C. JOHNSON, JR.
 "A happy man is a better
 thing to find than a five
 pound note."



LEONARD S. HUGHES
 "It's safer to keep si-
 lence than to speak."



E. JOYCE KELLEY
 "Flirtation is attention
 without intention."



BARBARA ANN KILLMON
"In her tongue lies the
law of kindness. "



A. MORRIS LEWIS, JR.
"A gentleman by nature,
a scholar by education. "



DONALD KILLMON
"He knows not when to be
silent who knows not when
to speak. "



THOMAS R. LEWIS
"I was never less alone
than when by myself. "



CORNULIA C. LEWIS
"I lose my patience,
and I own it, too. "



ROBERT T. LONG
"Some minds are like con-
crete, all mixed up and
permanently set. "



SHIRLEY IRENE LOONEY
 "It's all right to hold
 a conversation, but you
 should let go of it now
 and then. "



LOIS ANN NOTTINGHAM
 "Lovely hair adds beauty
 to a good face. "



CHARLES MASSEY
 "Anything for a quiet
 life. "



MAURICE NOTTINGHAM, JR.
 "I can resist anything except
 temptation. "



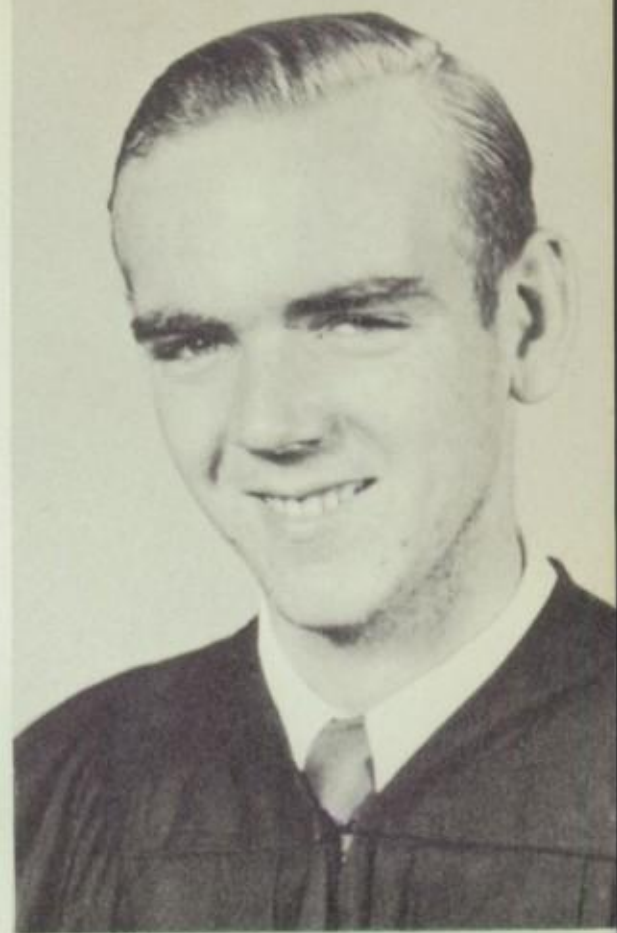
BENJAMIN MOORE
 "The strength of twenty
 men! "



PHYLLIS JUNE PARKS
 "You are food of argu-
 ments. "



ROBERT RICHARDSON
"The world knows nothing
of its greatest men."



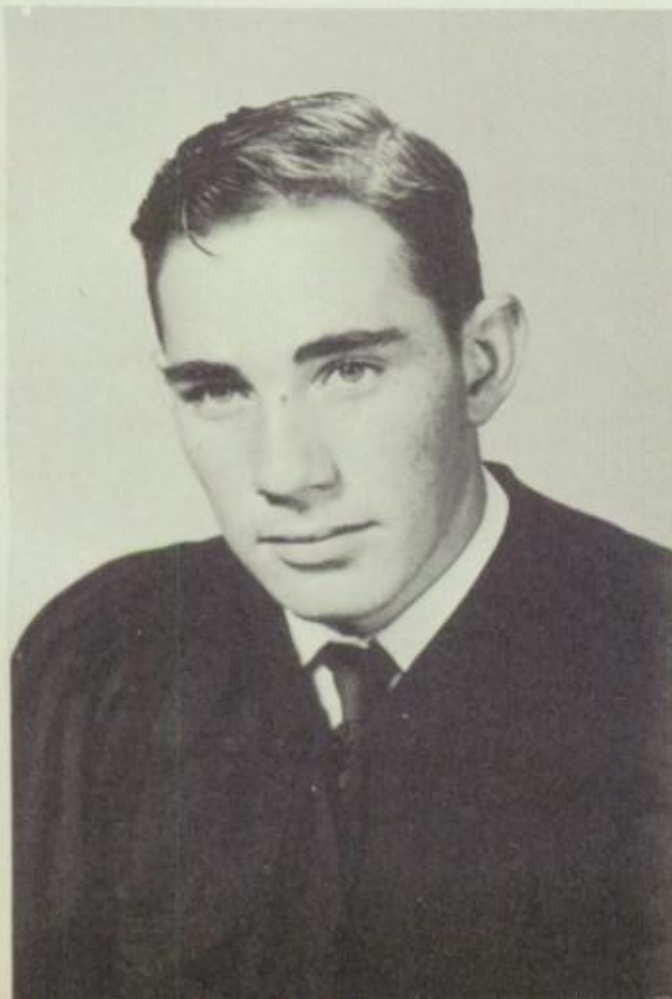
STEWART SHIELD
"Friendliness is a gift
of the gods."



R. AUDREY RUSSELL
"My tongue is the pen
of a ready writer."



GENE F. SIMPSON
"He is the best of all mu-
sicians."



JAMES W. SAVAGE
"I can do anything better
than you."



JOHN T. SMITH
"I'll laugh and be fat,
for care kills a cat."



ELEANOR F. SOMERS
"Quietness is the best. "



EDNA A. WAGSTAFF
"I have found you an ar-
gument; but I am not
obliged to find you an
understanding. "



ROBERT TITTERMARY
"Art for art's sake. "



HERMAN B. WALKER
"There is no wisdom like
frankness. "



GEORGE T. TURNER, IV
"What he hit is history,
what he missed is
mystery. "



WANDA LEE WARREN
"The eye hath ever been
thought the pearl of the
face. "



SHIRLEY E. WEBB
"Love has a tide. "



ROGER W. WILKINS
"Nothing grows again
more easily than love. "



LUCIA WHITEHEAD
"I know what pathway
leads to popularity. "




PEGGY A. WILSON
"The timid sees dangers
which do not even exist. "



RANDOLPH WIDGEON
"Gayly the troubadour
touched his guitar. "



SMITH V. WILSON
"Why should the devil
have all the good times?"



Dear Torch,

Today, September 9, 1948, the class of '52 began its high school career. We chose as our class officers: Herman Walker, President; Randy Gibbs, Vice-President; Mary Lu James, Secretary; and Virginia Lee Gladden, Treasurer. Our flower was the rose and our colors were blue and silver. The Student Council was organized at this time. Our representatives were Lucia Whitehead, Maurice Nottingham, and Paige Fitchett. Most of our fun came with the class parties.

In our Sophomore year we planned and compiled the football program for the annual Northampton-Cape Charles football game.

At last we became Juniors! This year we elected Lucia Whitehead, Paige Fitchett, Jane Douglas, Wanda Warren and Irene Looney as our cheerleaders. This year Northampton had its first Majorette Corps, with Lou Ann Ashby as a leader. Our class play, "Elmer", was a big hit with parents and students alike. The big event came when we gave the seniors a wonderful Prom in May.

On September 6th, we entered the last stretch on our road to our graduation. Mr. J. L. Johnson joined us as new principal. Our class again reorganized with the following officers: Herman Walker, President; Joe Downes, Vice-President; Barbara Killmon, Secretary and Archie Bradford, Treasurer. The Student Council was continued with Morris Lewis, Sophomore and Junior President of our class, elected president by the student body. We soon received our class rings. Examinations! We then began work on our class play. We hope that when we leave, we will be remembered for our contributions to the life of the school.



Thus Spake the Seniors

Johnny Addison
Ruby Annis
Charles Ashby
Lou Ann Ashby
Lillian F. Bailey
Mary Ellen Barnes
Joyce Bowen
Archie Bradford
Otho Brady
Warren Cobb
Peggy Colonna
Mary J. Cowling
Alice Spady Croft
Kenneth Doughty
Jane Douglas
Joe Downes
Jimmy Dunton
Gerry East
Pete East
Henrietta Elliott
Paige Fitchett
Barbara C. Gibbs
Virginia Lee Gladden
Jeannine Goode
Clarence Holland
Mary Lu James
E. C. Johnson
Joyce Kelley
Barbara Killmon
Donnie Killmon
Cornelia Lewis
Morris Lewis
Tommy Lewis
Bobby Long
Irene Looney
Charles Massey
Don Matthews
Bennie Moore
Lois Ann Nottingham
Maurice Nottingham
Phyllis Parks
Bobby Ricardson
Audrey Russell
Jimmy Savage
Stewart Shield
Gene Simpson
John T. Smith
Eleanor Somers
Robert Tittermary
George T. Turner
Edna Wagstaff
Herman Walker
Wanda Lee Warren
Shirley Webb
Lucia Whitehead
Randolph Widgeon
Roger Wilkins
Peggy Wilson
Smith Wilson

Do hush!
Don't know-do you!
You think so!
Well hon-nee!
Sugar!
Oh, no! Not that!
Well honey!
Movin on!
No kidding!
I wouldn't worry about it!
Oh, Bab-ee!
My cow!
I'll swanee!
Kiss me again!
My cow!
You'd better believe it!
Bull!
Hi, kid!
I'll never tell!
You're silly!
Don't know-do ya!
Ghee whiz!
Oh, pshaw!
Oh, heavens!
Huh!
Hon-nee!
Chee!
Oh, great!
Well, of all things!
Ain't it the truth!
I thought I'd die!
Ah, nuts!
Now you're cooking with gas!
Don't know-do ya!
No listen!
Hi, doll, whose little girl are you!
Don't make no difference!
What'll you have!
Oh, for gosh sakes!
Thay, fellow!
Well, hon-nee!
Don't rock the boat!
I'll tell on ya, see don't I!
Shoot!
Hot ding!
I know all about it!
You think so!
Could be!
Poor-ain't it!
Let's went!
What difference does it make!
That's life!
Oh, daddy-O!
Shaving cream!
You'll never know!
You'll think so!
I'll hop right to it!
Oh, heck!
I dare me!



Summer



Sylvia Adkins



Owen Ashby



Jeanne Badger



Charles Bailey



Betty Jane Bayly



Emilie Bedsworth



Norman Bell



Verna Boole



Lenore Boss



Kirby Bowden



Marie Bowen



Barbara Brittingham



Charlotte Clark



Elsie Clark

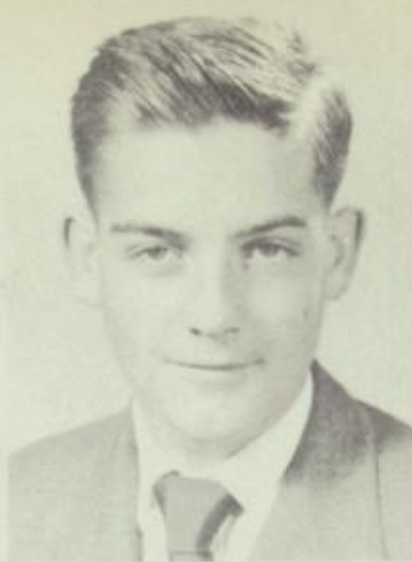


Peggy Costin

Donald Elliott

Francis Elliott

Frances Ennis



Emma Sue Ferguson

A. Thomas Fitchett

Page Floyd



Bennett Gaskill

Mary Anne Gaylor

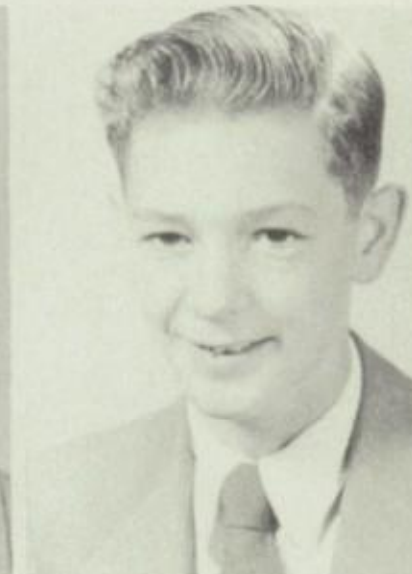
Ethel Gladden



John Holland

Raymond Hopper

C. Thomas Hudson



Edward Gladstone

Jo Ann Griffith

Mary Ann Henderson





Larry Killmon



Martha Ann Lewis



Audrey Mapp



Daniel Marshall



Robert McCready



Thomas Miles



Harvey Moore



William Moore



Evonne Outten



Janice Parks



Margaret Anne Savage



Betty Scanlan



John Page Scott



Elsie Shrieves



Byrl Small

Mary Lou Smith

Warner Smith

Betty Anne Tatum

Barbara Taylor

Robert Taylor

Louise Travis

Gordon Lee Ward

William Ward

Anne Webb

Essie May West

Janet Whitehead



Willis Wharf, Va.
April 12, 1961

Dear Elsie,

I know it's lonely up there in New York without your lil' ole roommate, but I can't say I'm sorry I came home. I'm just full of news about all our classmates of '53.

The other day I had lunch with Peggy Costin, who's married now, and says life at Cobb's Island is fine. Peggy told me that Jeanne Badger and Betty Ann Tatum own a beauty shop. Jeanne is now famous for introducing the "pony tail" to the shore.

We passed Owen Ashby's farm. Peg says he has been nicknamed the "Cucumber King of the Eastern Shore". We also passed Tommy Fitchett in his fifth new Buick of the year. Another car whizzed by. Later I realized Raymond Clayton has finally gotten a new Chevrolet. Billy Ward and Warner Smith are now rival gas station owners.

Evonne Outten and Charlotte Clark are now both married, and have duplex apartments. Anne Webb and her husband have converted the Coo Coo's Nest into a hotel for honeymooners.

While I was reading the local paper last night I noticed Donald Elliott had an ad in for his ducks, Betty Jane Bayly was advertising the new Fords for her agency. Incidentally, she and Clarence have voted model parents of the year.

Gordon Lee's new movie, "The Shiek of Araby" and "The Brat", starring Robert Taylor, were coming attractions. Page Floyd has won \$50,000 on his new race horse, "Loretta-Wynne". Among the new teachers at N. H. S., I found many of our former classmates. Sylvia Adkins teaches bookkeeping; Margaret Anne Savage, French; Norman Bell has taken over the English department, and Essie May West teaches Home Ec.. Byrl Small advertises his SMALL Loan Agency. J. P. Scott has been appointed game warden. Daniel Marshall runs a taxi. Don Matthews is editor of E. S. News! "The Red-Headed League" meets monthly with Barbara Brittingham and Martha Lewis as president and vice-president respectively.

Did you see TV last night? Many of our friends were on it. Eddie Gladstone, is not a sports-caster. Bobby McCreedy now plays football for the Chicago Bears, and Kirby Bowen has just won a track race. Elsie Shrieves is Sid Caesar's new partner. Mary Lou Smith and Jo Ann Griffith are the Foni Twins! Of course, we who remember Jo Ann's naturally curly hair know Mary Lou had the Foni.

On "The Celebrity Hour", Verna Boole sang an aria from her latest opera. Also, on the show were Betty Scanlan, who's been voted "Our Favorite Dance Partner" by the U. S. Marines and Emilie Bedsworth, who has been voted by the Hairdressers' Society as "the Girl With The Most Beautiful Black Hair in New York". Francis Ennis previewed her book, "Frankly Speaking", and Raymond Hopper, now Eddie Arnold's assistant, sang a number.

As I was cutting the TV off, Mary Ann Henderson flew in. She runs a crow shooting gallery in Washington. Ethel Gladden is married for the fifth time, and Janet Whitehead is now in Paris, France. Before Mary Ann left, Larry Killmon and Barbara Taylor came in to say hello. Larry now manufactures green suede shoes, and Bobbie is athletic director at Mary Washington. Tommy Miles will have a concert, sponsored by the Kellam Distributing Co.

Jack Holland delivers milk for Mapleton Farms. Lenore Boss's project is a Lonely Hearts Agency. Tommy Hudson manufactures typewriters with Louise Travis as his star sales clerk. Benny Gaskill has moved back to North Carolina, and Charles Bailey is chief drummer in a Ringling Circus band. That is the climax!

Love ya,
Marie



Lophomere



E. Acworth



M. Ames



J. Barcraft



T. Bell



F. Boole



G. Bowen



J. Bowen



G. Bruce



P. Bundick



B. Carpenter



F. Carpenter



J. Carpenter



K. Carpenter



M. Carpenter



E. Churn



A. Clayton



C. Costin



G. Costin



B. Couch



G. Crockett



C. Culver



E. Culver



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D. Matthews



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G. Moore



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C. Parks



K. Parks



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T. Rice



B. Richardson



F. Richardson



S. Rippon



Y. Rodriquez



E. Rowe



E. Savage



C. Smith



T. Smith



L. Tankard



R. Tatem



C. Taylor



G. Taylor



H. Taylor



W. Taylor



G. THOMAS



P. TOWNSEND



G. TURNER



K. TURNER



N. TURNER



J. UNDERHILL



N. VIOHL



S. WARD



J. WARREN



K. WARREN



E. WEBB



B. WESCOAT



G. WHITMAN



C. WOERNER



J. WOERNER



C. WOOD



*Eighth
Grade*

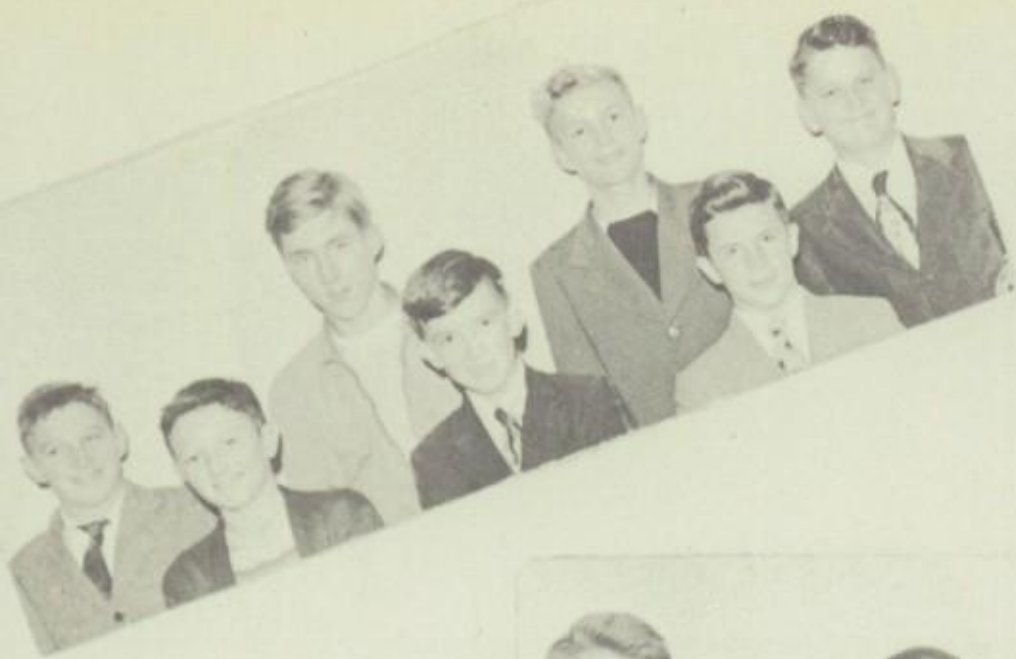


Lolita Barcroft
Nancy Lee Barns
Louvinia Belote
Gloria Budd
Hattie Carpenter
Jane Commander
Edna May Elliott
Judith Erslev
Nancy Fray
Rosebel Gladden
Shirley Hill

Patsy Hopper
Carolyn Jarman
Jean Kellam
Joyce Kellam
Ruth Lewis
Betty Lilliston
Mary Lynn Mapp
Jane Martin
Sue Miller
Barbara Moore
Jo Ann Moore

Carmen Nottingham
Nancy L. Nottingham
Gail Parks
Anna Sommerville
Betty M. Spady
Alice Mae Tucker
Mary Lou Turner
Lena Jane Umphlett
Virginia C. Ward
Carole V. Wilson
Betty J. Wolfe

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Grayson Booker
Roland Bowen
Albert Brittingham
Warren Carpenter
Ronald Couch
William Doughty
George Ennis
Dorsey Gladden
Barton Holland

Thomas James
Frank Kliensorgen
Frank Lafferty
Joe Lewis
Wallace Looney
Jackie Mapp
Douglas Marshall
Belvin Moore
James Moore
Robert Ogburn
John Parkerson

Glen Pearson
Bobby Powell
Donnie Reed
Henry Reynolds
John Robbins
Billy Shrieves
Oscar Smith
Robert Simpson
Tommy Toussaint
Norman Watson
John P. Wescott

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SEPTEMBER

Summer ends and fall be-
gins;
Days are short and crisp
again.
School bells ring for one
and all;
Students answer teacher's
call.

C. H.

FEBRUARY

February and Leap Year,
All the boys are glad
it's here.
All the girls do jump
for joy,
Try to catch a hand-
some boy.

W. C.



OCTOBER

'Mid falling leaves and frosty
nights,
Halloween ghouls give awful
frights.
But Seniors all stay home in
bed,
And never throw peppers-so
'tis said!

J. G.



MARCH

Along with winds comes baseball,
And ringing spikes go down the
hall.
Term papers in, and then we find
We're back again to daily grind.

H. W.

NOVEMBER

Thanksgiving day is here
again;
And results are much the same;
But that just simply goes to prove
Any can win, only mighty can lose.

M. L.



APRIL

April has its showers
galore
While the class play we
encore.
Baseball season's in full
swing;
Others feel the "Jack-
ets'" sting.

M. N.



DECEMBER

December brings us Christmas
cheer;
The time for the Monogram dance
is here.
Vacation gives us all great fun.
Then back to school-a new year's
begun.

J. D.



MAY

The farewell time is draw-
ing near,
But all you Seniors have
good cheer.
The Senior Prom will come
and go;
Delightful memory leaves
its glow.

J. G.

JANUARY

Out with the old, in with
the new.
Exams begin, a new term
too.
Two more reports-"Hurray
we're through!"

J. G.



JUNE

The Alma Mater's echo rings;
At graduation the Glee Club
sings.
As Seniors all with misty
eye
Say "au revior" but not "good-by"

J. D.





Student Council



President-----MORRIS LEWIS
 Vice President-----MAURICE NOTTINGHAM
 Secretary-----NANCY TURNER
 Treasurer-----GORDON LEE WARD
 Reporter-----JANE DOUGLAS

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Seniors: Mary J. Cowling, Irene Looney, Herman Walker

Juniors: Lenore Boss, Anne Webb, Janet Whitehead, Eddie Gladstone

Sophomores: Eleanor Churn, Frank Mapp, Frank Duer

Freshmen: Judy Erslev, Billy Doughty, Bob Ogburn

In its fourth year of operation the Student Council of Northampton High School has done outstanding work in social and school activities. Under the leadership of President Morris Lewis and the sponsor, Mr. Johnson, they planned interesting assemblies sold magazines, had fire drills, and sponsored intramural sports. They hope that in future years the council will be as much of an asset to the students and faculty as it has been in years gone by.

Glee Club



President-----MARY J. COWLING
 Vice-President-----LENORE BOSS
 Secretary-----BARBARA CHANDLER GIBBS
 Treasurer-----ANNE WEBB
 Accompanist-----JANE DOUGLAS
 Assistant Accompanist-----JANE WARREN

The Northampton High School Glee Club is composed of twenty-nine members, under the direction of Miss Lila Jacob. They have presented Christmas selections at Red Bank Baptist Church on Sunday, December 9, and at the Eastville Firehouse on December 21, 1951. At the Christmas assembly On December 21, the group sang Christmas selections which included "The Christmas Scripture in Song." The Club also rendered the music for commencement exercises.

MEMBERS:

Lou Ann Ashby, Jean Badger, Lillian Frances Bailey, Betty Jane Bailey, Verna Boole, Lenore Boss, Eleanor Churn, Mary J. Cowling, Jane Douglas, Paige Fitchett, Barbara C. Gibbs, Virginia Lee Gladden, Jo Ann Griffith, Mary Ann Henderson, Mary Lu James, Joyce Kellen, Barbara Killmon, Irene Looney, Lois Ann Nottingham, Audrey Russell, Betty Scanlan, Mary Lou Smith, Barbara Taylor, Nancy Turner, Edna Wagstaff, Jane, Warren, Wanda Lee Warren, Anne Webb, and Shirley Webb.

Science Club



HERMAN WALKER-----President

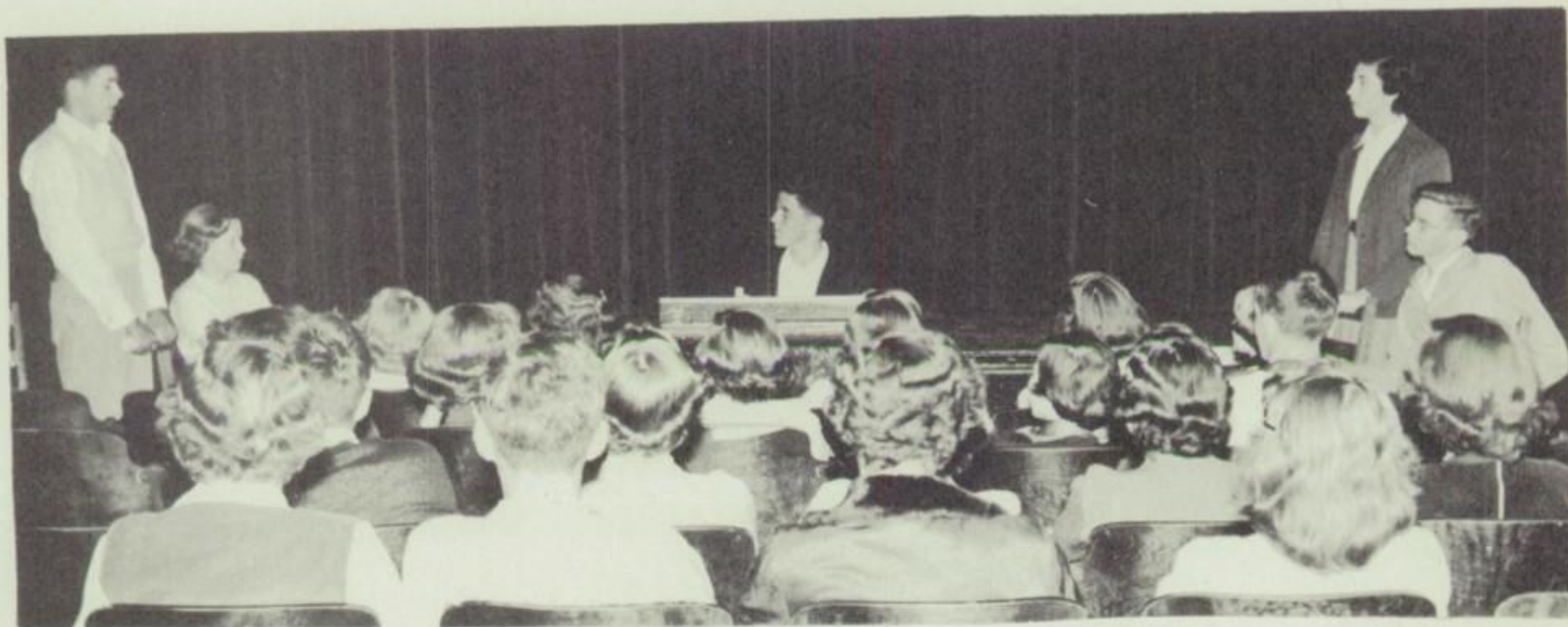
MORRIS LEWIS-----Vice-President

WARREN COBB-----Treasurer

MAURICE NOTTINGHAM----- Secretary

Sponsor - MR. BURLEIGH B. TURNER, JR.

Good Citizen's Club



The purpose of the Good Citizen's Club is the training of young people in forensic activities. Open forum discussions, public speaking, and debating are the chief activities of the club. During the past ten years several members of the club have won first place in the intra-state high school debate, held each year at the University of Virginia. This year we expect to participate again in the state program, and we are expecting to have a winning team.

Officers: President-Maurice Nottingham; Vice-President-Herman Walker; Secretary-Lenore Boss; Treasurer-Janet Whitehead.

Members: Elizabeth Acworth, Lou Ann Ashby, Charles Bailey, Betty Jane Bayly, Lenore Boss, Becky Couch, Mary J. Cowling, Jane Douglas, Eddie Gladstone, Jack Holland, Morris Lewis, Irene Looney, Lynn Mapp, Tommy Miles, Maurice Nottingham, Eleanor Rowe, Margaret Ann Savage, Betty Scanlan, Mary Lou Smith, Libba Tankard, Edna Wagstaff, Kay Warren, Herman Walker, Anne Webb, Janet Whitehead, and Lucia Whitehead.

Sponsor - Mr. G.B. Wynne

Dramatic Club



The Dramatic Club of '52 under the direction of its sponsor, Miss Elizabeth Jones, had as its officers: President, Lucia Whitehead; Vice-President, Tommy Miles; Secretary, Elizabeth Tankard; Treasurer, Margaret Lyn James.

Above the club is shown having tryouts for the Christmas play, "The Birds' Christmas Carol". This play was given as part of the Christmas assembly program in collaboration with the Glee Club.

The plans for the year included the presentation of at least one three-act and several one-act plays. These have meant a very successful year for the club.

Sponsor - Miss Elizabeth Jones

Arts and Crafts Club



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Secretary and Treasurer-----RONNIE COUCH

We planned and prepared a puppet show which was presented February 29, at E period as an assembly program. This year we have also been weaving, knitting, and carving in wood and soap.

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F. H. A.



The Future Homemakers of America Club has as members girls who are interested in homemaking. At least one year of Home Arts is required for membership. The local chapter at Northampton High School is affiliated with the Eastern Shore and state federations .

The club colors are red and white; the flower, a red rose; and the motto: "Hand, Heart, and Home. "

Sponsors: Mrs. Virginia O. Savedge
Mrs. Irma O. Floyd

F. F. A.



F. F. A. Club, together with the advisors, Mr. E. T. Taylor and Mr. J. T. Badger, Jr.



Frank Duer starts purebred cattle project.



Clifton Taylor starts project of purebred sheep. He is shown with registered Hampshire male.

Sports Club



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4-H Club



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 my heart to greater loyalty
 my hands to larger service
 and my health to better living
 for my club, my community
 and my country.

Colors: Green and White

Motto: Make the best better

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HI-LITES TO BE PUBLISHED BY NEW STAFF

Believing in the old saying that a new broom sweeps clean, NORTHAMPTON HI-LITES will be published this year by an entirely new staff. Starting out thirteen strong, the new staff has chosen Janet Whitehead as editor-in-chief.

Beverly Wescoat will serve as assistant editor.



From among the new eighth graders at N.H.S. Gail Parks was chosen to act as business manager.



Mary Anne Gaylor, because of her artistic talents, was chosen to head the art department. Assisting her will be Margaret Anne Savage.



Sporting news, including all the big football and baseball games, as well as all sporting events, will be written by Ethel Gladden with the help of Ellen Culver.



With Yolie Rodriguez as chairman of their group, Margaret Ann Savage, Beverly

Wescoat, and Gail Parks will be our news hounds.



Socially speaking, Betty Lou Nottingham will keep our news reading public informed of all the social events, big and little, that have taken place, or are about to take place.



Her assistant gossipers are Sue Ward, Myrna Ames, Bev Wescoat, and Yolie Rodriguez.



Writers of class and club news will be Mary Anne Gaylor, Peggy Costin, and Elsie Clark.



Taking over the important job of running the mimeograph will be Mary Anne Gaylor, assisted by Peggy Costin, and the sole reason why our staff is "co-ed"--

Tommy James. The only "experienced" worker on our staff this year is our sponsor, Mrs. Mary N. Kellam, to whom we look for help and maybe an occasional (we hope) push.



Our aim in publishing HI-LITES, however, is the same as the aim of the former staff: to give the pupils, faculty, and friends of N. H. S. the best possible coverage of school news in the best possible manner.

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Monogram Club

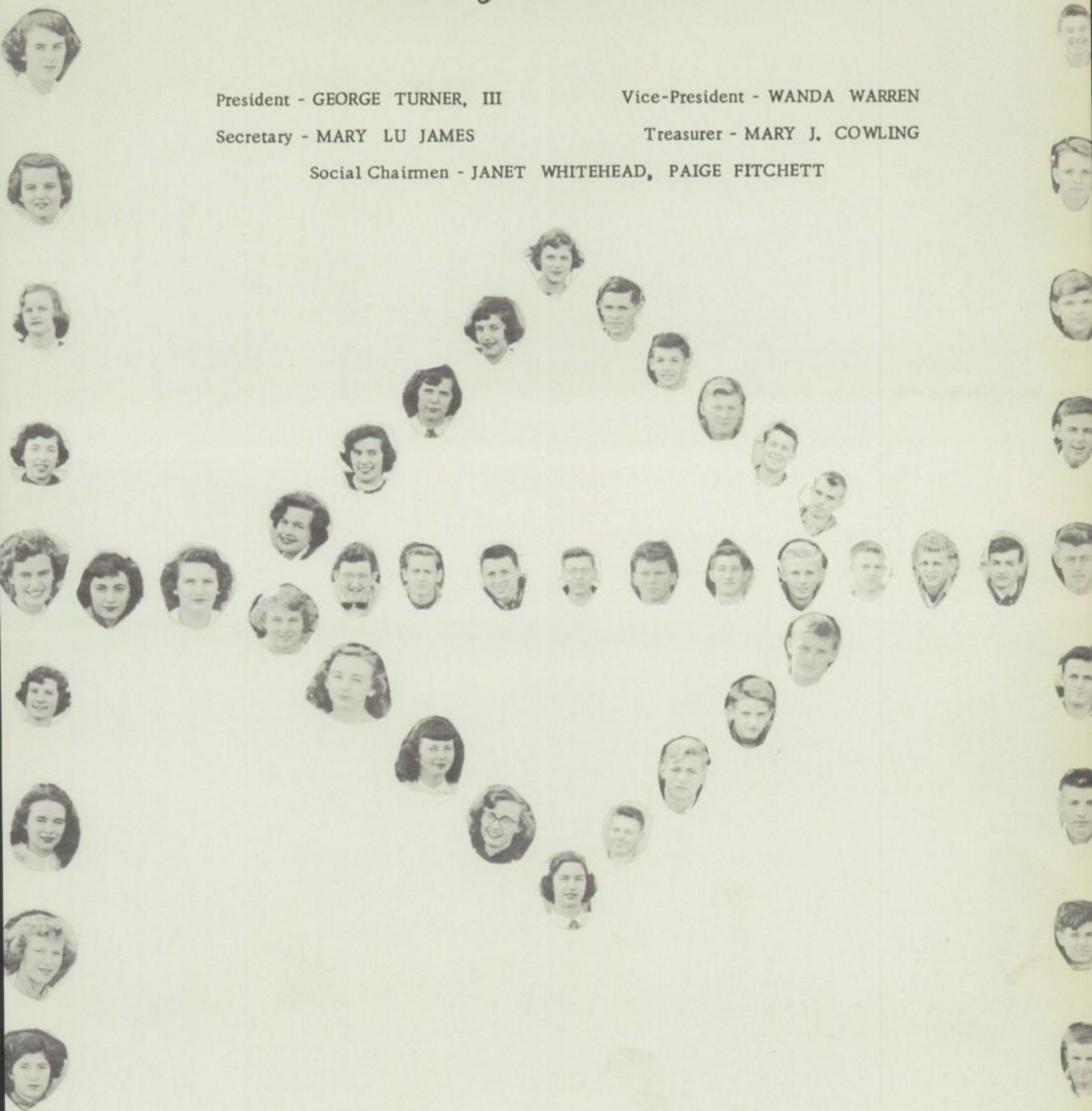
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Social Chairmen - JANET WHITEHEAD, PAIGE FITCHETT



The Monogram Club was organized to give the participants in all sports opportunity to become members, to further the advancement of athletics in our school, to stimulate interest, to provide for better athletic teams in future years, and to improve sportsmanship throughout the school.

The main activity, sponsored by the club, is an annual semi-formal Christmas dance at the McCann Legion Hall in Belle Haven.

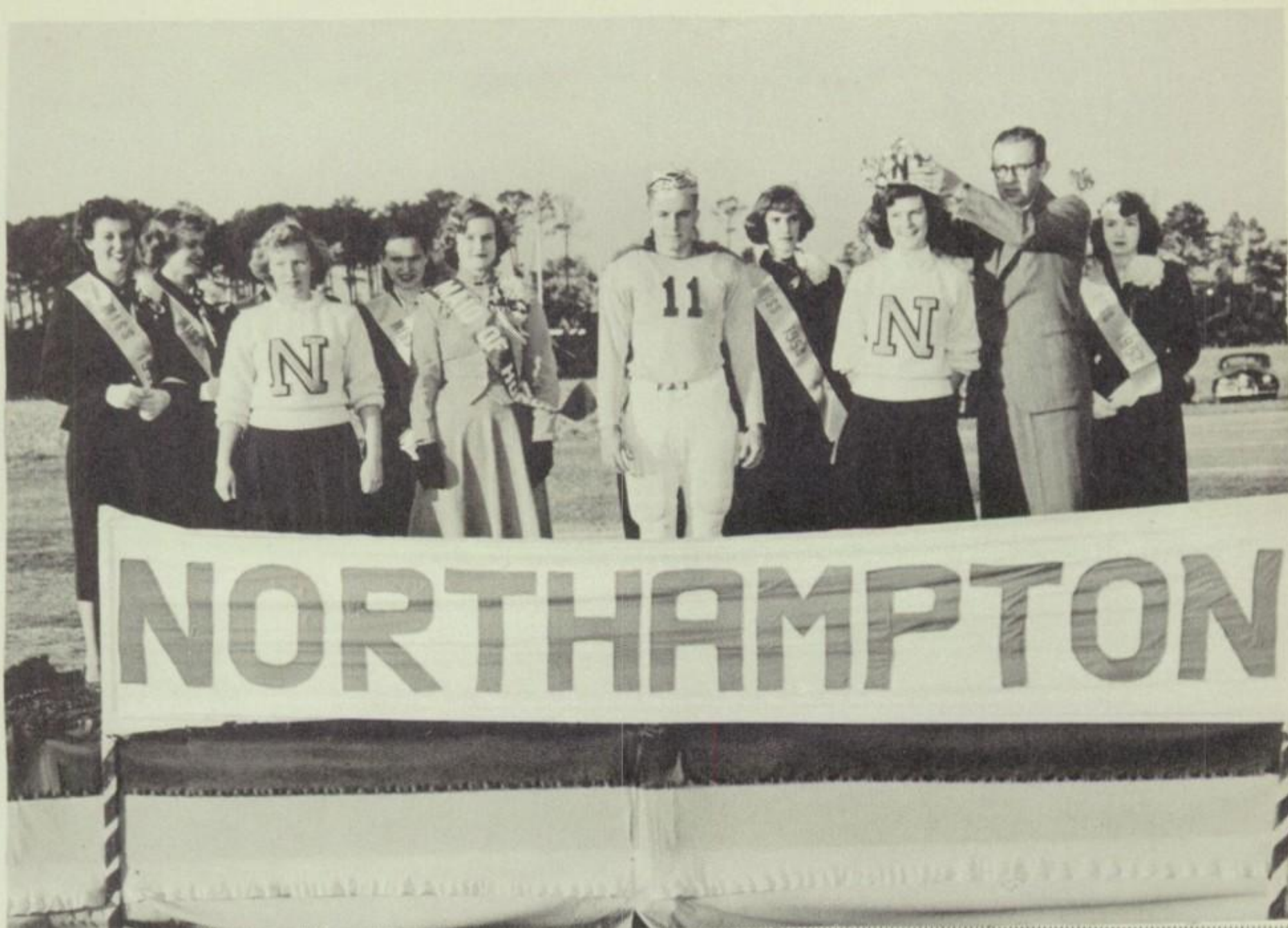
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A group of Majorettes perform during half-time at the Thanksgiving Day game.



CHEERLEADERS: Shirley Webb, Jo Ann Griffith, Betty Scanlan, Lucia Whitehead, Paige Fitchett, Jane Douglas, Anne Webb, Wanda Lee Warren, Barbara Killmon, Mary Ann Henderson, Irene Looney, and Mary Lou Smith.



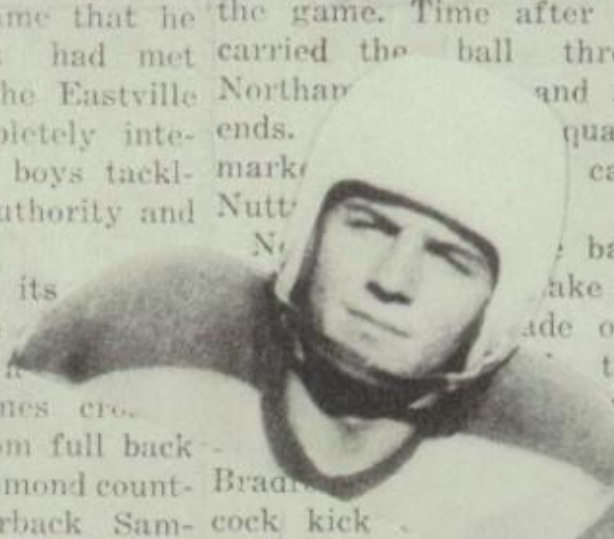
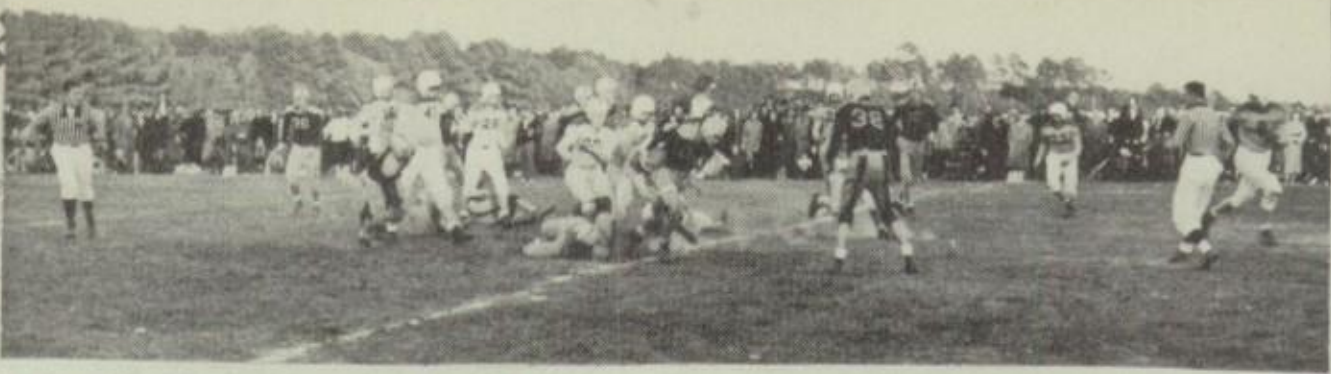
King Bobby



Queen Paige

On Pass To Defeat
Northampton

NHS Defeat
Onancock 1-0



Atlantic And
Northampton Play
To 6-6 Deadlock



the game. Time after time carried the ball through Northampton and around the ends. Quarterback Sam- cock kick...
In the closing minutes of the game Morris Lewis, end for Northampton, caught a pass good for 30 yards. The long pass, Northampton's Lewis, the Northampton player, prevented his pass, intercepted it and took it for about 30 yards before he was stopped. Northampton's Lewis, East, Northampton and Lettieri were playing, with Bradford, Richardson starring for Northampton. Onancock had a first down and Northampton on nine first downs.

Baseball

Our last year's base-ball team had a very successful year under the supervision of Coach William Milam. The team lost only one game out of the scheduled eleven.



Members of last year's team who will play this year are: George Drummond, P; Larry Killmon, SS; Joe Downs, LF; Morris Lewis, 3b; Bobby Long, RF; Herman Walker, 1b; and Archie Bradford, CF.



1. Just 10 here!
2. Beauty Queens of N. H. S. ?!?!?
3. See something, Droop?
4. Make that basket !
5. Steady or not ?!?
6. Why so disgusted, girls?
7. Our school mascots.
8. Is this the Garden Tour?
9. Sophisticated Seniors !?!?
10. Silly Sophomores !
11. You tell 'em, Preacher!
12. Who messed up the picture?
13. Fire 'em on, girls !
14. Taking it easy.
15. Young and innocent?!?!?



16. Smile for the birdie!
17. What'cha looking at? !?
18. The "2" Elsie.
19. Butterbean!
20. Did you make it?
21. Charlie, my boy!
22. Waiting for somebody?
23. Let's get some pep, girls!
24. "Valentino" and one of his conquests!
25. How about a cheer!
26. My, how we've grown!
27. Don't trip, Ronnie!
28. Sweet and coy!?!
29. Upsa-daisey!!





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